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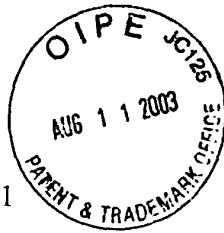
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Bennett

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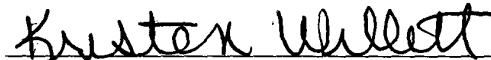
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Statement From Inventor Richard B. Dyott

Sir:

I, Richard B. Dyott, of Oak Lawn, Illinois, state as follows:

1. I am not a joint inventor of the subject matter disclosed and claimed in the above-referenced patent application. However, I was inadvertently named as an inventor in this patent application.
2. I hereby state that I have reviewed the specification and each of the claims in the above-referenced application and that I am not a joint or a sole inventor in any of the claims in the above-referenced application.
3. I hereby state that the error in inventorship in the above-referenced patent application occurred without any deceptive intent on my part.

Respectfully submitted,

Dated: July 28, 2003


Richard B. Dyott

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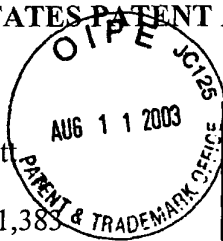
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CONSENT OF ASSIGNEE PURSUANT TO 37 C.F.R. § 1.324(b)(3)

Dear Sir:

Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.324(b)(3), the undersigned, who is empowered to act on behalf of the assignee, namely KVH Industries Inc., and whose title is supplied below, consents to the correction of inventorship of U.S. Patent Application No. 09/921,383 to remove Richard B. Dyott as co-inventor.

Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 3.73(b), KVH Industries, Inc. certifies that it is the assignee of the entire right, title and interest in U.S. Patent Application No. 09/921,383 which claims priority to U.S. Provisional Patent Application Serial No. 60/222,395 filed August 2, 2000. KVH Industries, Inc. rights are by virtue of the following assignment:

Sidney Bennett to KVH Industries, Inc., Assignment executed on July 16, 2003, and recorded in the United States Patent and Trademark Office on July 25, 2003 at Reel 013831, Frame 0654.

The undersigned has reviewed the documentary evidence and certifies that, to the best of Assignee's knowledge and belief, title to U.S. Patent Application No. 09/921,383, is in KVH Industries, Inc.

The undersigned hereby declares that all statements made herein of his own knowledge are true and that all statements made on information and belief are believed to be true; and further that these statements were made with the knowledge that willful false statements and the like so made are punishable by fine or imprisonment, or both, under Section 1001 of Title 18 of the United States Code and that such willful false statements may jeopardize the validity of the application or any patent issued thereon.

Respectfully submitted,

For KVH Industries, Inc.

Signature: Kalyan Ganesan

Name: KALYAN GANESAN

Title: VICE PRESIDENT

Date: July 31, 2003